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Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

Re: 8,050' Hosston Zone,

Reservoir A
Ruston Field

Lincoln Parish, Louisiana

APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING

Dear Sir:

Devon Energy Production Company, L. P. hereby makes application pursuant to the revised rules of procedure for a public hearing to consider evidence relating to the following matters pertaining to the 8,050' Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the Ruston Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To establish one (1) additional drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of oil and gas from the 8050' Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the Ruston Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, to be designated HOSS 8050' RA SUI as outlined on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof;
- 2. To redefine the 8,050' Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, INSOFAR AND ONLY INSOFAR AS HOSS 8050' RA SUI is concerned, as that oil and gas bearing zone occurring between the stratigraphic equivalent of the depths of 8010 feet and 8150 feet (dual induction log measurements) in the Arkansas Louisiana Gas Company Matthews No. 2 Well located in the South Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section 29, Township 19 North, Range 2 West, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana.

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- 3. To force pool and integrate all of the separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed unit in accordance with Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950 with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation;
- 4. To name the Devon Energy Production Company, L. P. Colvin Estate 19 No. 2 Well as the unit well for HOSS 8,050' RA SUI at the bottom hole location shown on the attached plat, and elsewhere along its axis as long as its no closer than 330 feet to any unit line, and to name Devon Energy Production Company, L. P. as operator of said unit;
- 5. To extend existing field rules to the proposed unit except to the extent inconsistent herewith;
- 6. To exclude the 8050' Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, as to be redefined hereby, from the definition of the Hosston 7,900' Zone, Reservoir A, the Hosston 7950' Zone, Reservoir, the Hosston 8,100' Zone, Reservoir A, and/or any other Hosston Zone interval defined by Order No. 164-O-29, effective January 10, 1995, with which it conflicts, insofar as said zone(s) are shown to be an oil zone within the area covered by HOSS 8,050' RA SUI; and
- 7. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem appropriate and necessary under the circumstances.

The 8,050' Hosston Zone, Reservoir A, in the Ruston Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 164-Y, effective April 8, 1986, and is to be redefined hereby insofar as HOSS 8,050' RA SUI is concerned.

Any pertinent data relating to this matter can be obtained, at the cost of the requesting party, from Mr. Dennis Dilday, Devon Energy Production Company, L. P., 1200 Smith Street, Houston, Texas 77002, telephone number (713) 265-6835.

A Pre-Application Notice dated May 25, 2007, was sent to the Commissioner of Conservation with copies to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation and to all Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties. No one requested a conference.

The list of parties attached to the copy of this application being sent to the Office of Conservation includes the names of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties known to Applicant after a diligent search. A copy of this notice, with plat attached, is being sent to each such party. Pursuant to Office of Conservation regulations, such list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be provided to any person requesting a copy

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of it. Enclosed with the copy of this application being sent to the Commissioner of Conservation is a check for the application fee in connection with this matter.

Yours very truly,

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. James Broussard, District Manager

Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

Mr. Dennis Dilday Mr. Lou Bertoli Mr. Craig Barclay

